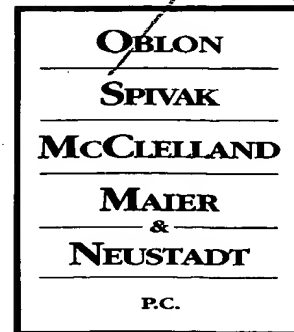




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RE: Application Serial No.: 09/647,378  
Applicants: Itaru KAWAKAMI, et al.  
Filing Date: October 17, 2000  
For: INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS AND  
METHOD, AND PROGRAM STORAGE MEDIUM  
Group Art Unit: 2137  
Examiner: Paul E. Callahan

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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

#### Notice of Appeal

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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated May 20, 2005

The items checked below are appropriate:

- ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 was filed for 2 months.
- ☒ A timely response to the final rejection has been filed, as provided in 841 O.G. 1411.
- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time for filing the Notice of Appeal is attached.
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- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
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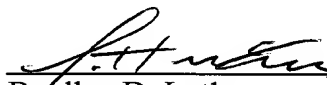
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